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A Tale of Mermaids.

STRANGE DELUSION OF A COLORED WOMAN.

The Richmond *Dispatch* gives the marvellous story of a colored woman who, purporting to have escaped from Cuba, recently advertised for her mother, whom she had left in this country sixteen years ago. She represents that her name is Rosa Brooks, *alias* Grandison, the last name being given her from the family name of her former owners. Sixteen years ago, she says—just before the close of the late war—her young mistress, then living in this city, married a Mr. Grandison, of Havana, Cuba. They moved to his home, and she (Rosa), being only one year of age, was taken with them, and thus snatched from the very threshold of emancipation that soon followed. She grew up in the service of her new master and his family, and some time in June last became involved in a difficulty with one of the children that came nigh losing her life. It seems that in the altercation with the child she lost her temper and in an unlucky moment slapped it jaws. She says her act was considered such a high crime that "the Queen" was informed of it, and Her Royal Majesty decreed she should die. She was seated in the kitchen the next day, when the Queen, in all her pomp and pride, entered, and seizing a large carving knife began sharpening it for the dread execution. Making one desperate effort for her life she sprang through the door, scaled the walls of the city and plunged into the ocean. Her struggle with the waves had scarce well begun when the royal troops in pursuit fired upon her and she was wounded in seven places. Worn out with her fatiguing run and exhausted with the loss of blood she continued to battle for life, when, having swam some nine miles (being seven hours in the water) and on the point of giving up the ghost she was rescued by a band of mermaids. These fairy creatures, she represents, bore her to their homes in the rocky caverns along the seashore and showed her every attention, nursing her until she had entirely recovered; that they live like ordinary human beings and are as gentle and as kind as possible. When she was well they took her out into the ocean and placed her upon a vessel bound to Galveston, at which port she arrived safely, and thence made her way to Richmond in search of her mother, Sarah Brooks.

Syndicate Profits.

The Syndicate are already realizing handsome returns. According to their last published statement the net earnings for July were $60,467 15. The passengers traffic yielded $17,201 93, and freight $41,532 20. The total earnings for the corresponding month last year were $23,420 38, showing an increase of $37,047. The expenditure during July this year was $26,150 75, the profits to the company for that month being $34,317. When it is remembered that Canada Pacific railroading is yet in its infancy, some idea of the mammoth profits accruing to the company in after years may be formed. Certain portions of the road may prove a dead weight for a long time at least, but one can see at a glance that the returns from their lines over the fertile sections will cover all expenditure on the whole line and still leave a colossal margin. To this must be added the profits arising from the sale of 50,000 acres of fertile land and numerous town and city plots. The wealth of the gentlemen comprising the Syndicate, if they are not reckless spendthrifts, must shortly eclipse that of McKay and other Western millionaires.—*Globe.*

Sacrilege.

A British female came within an ace of stepping inside the sacred precincts of the House of Commons a fortnight ago. By simple sweetness of purpose she reached the swinging glass doors, to pass which is sacrilege. Her foot actually was on the threshold: one moment more and she would have reached to a place on the Treasury bench; but at the very moment an official spied her and arrested her further movements; half a second later and his interposition would have been of no avail. A thrill of horror must have passed through the country when the story of this narrow escape spread abroad. Women are only permitted to gaze upon the awful presence of the Commons of England through the bars of an iron cage inserted in the wall at one end of the hall. All that this audacious female wanted was to "speak a word to Mr. Gladstone" about some private business.

Blank Book Manufactory and Book Bindery.

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SHOCKED TO DEATH.

A Man who Persisted in Playing with Electric Machinery.

BUFFALO, (N. Y.), Aug. 7.—A man named George Leonard Smith, a dock laborer, met with a remarkable death at the generating room of the Brush Electric Company, about ten o'clock. In company with some girls, he strayed into the generating room and amused himself and friends by leaning over the railing protecting the machinery, touching the brushes on the commutator with the fingers of the right hand and receiving light shocks, which he communicated to the girls by taking hold of them with his left hand. This kind of fun was indulged in for a few minutes, and then Smith made a move to take hold of the brushes with both hands. As he did so, the electrician, who had been a spectator, seized hold of him and held him back. He and his friends then left the premises. Half an hour later he returned alone, and evidently under the influence of liquor. Before any one could restrain him, he took hold of the brushes with both hands. Perceiving his situation, the electrician sprang to his side and struck his arms, endeavoring to break his hold on the machinery, and receiving a severe shock himself, without in any way loosing Smith's hold. The electrician shouted to the engineer to stop the engine, which was promptly done. When the electric current ceased, Smith's hold on the brushes loosened, and he fell back and expired almost instantly.

SLOW-GOING AUSTRALASIA.—The past decade has only added some 765,000 inhabitants to Australasia, representing an annual growth of 3.87 per cent. and much of this has been paid for by "assisted emigration." Victoria may be said to be declining, as it has only increased 103,000, against 210,000 in the previous ten years. The whole population of New Zealand is below that of several British provincial towns, and that of Tasmania a little larger than one or two London parishes. These figures are as striking a comment on the awful and wonderful amount of blow among Australians as their enormous indebtedness is. Queensland might very appropriately be dubbed Borrowland.

CANADIAN WINES.—Perhaps no branch of Canadian industry has made more rapid strides in the last fifteen years than that of the cultivation of the vine. Then but a few acres altogether could be found in Canada, but now hundreds of acres are devoted to vine-culture. Above all others the wines of the Vin Villa Vineyards, of Pelee Island, occupy the highest place in public estimation. The location of the Island has doubtless had much to do with this superiority, situated 15 miles south of the most southern point of the Canadian main land and the largest of the far-famed group of grape growing islands in Lake Erie, it enjoys several weeks of mild fall weather more than upon the mainland. By the latter fact the Pelee Island Vineyards are enabled to grow the Catawba to perfection, which is an impossibility upon the Canada main. The Wines of the Vin Villa Vineyards are today to be found upon the wine lists of most of the leading hotels in Canada and are obtainable from most of the leading family grocers and wine merchants. Fell & Co. have received per steamer Idaho a shipment of the above celebrated wines. See advertisement. *

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NOTICES.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase One hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situate at Nimkush River, Vancouver Island, and described as follows:—

Commencing at the North-east corner stake of the Nimkush Indian Reserve, which is situate about 10 chains North-easterly from the North side of the old village site, described in the Admiralty Chart as "Cherlakee;" thence true west, along the Northern boundary of said Indian Reserve for a distance of 40 chains; thence true North, for a distance of 40 chains; thence true East for a distance of 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line on Johnson Strait; thence in a Southerly direction, following the said shore line of Johnson Strait, to the point of commencement; and containing 160 acres, more or less.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.

S. A. SPENCER.
Victoria, B.C., August 3rd, 1881. au7

IN RE ESTATE OF EDWARD WILBY, DECEASED.

BY VIRTUE OF AUTHORITY GIVEN ME BY the Supreme Court of British Columbia to administer said estate, I hereby request all persons having claims thereon to send in the same within 30 days from date hereof, and all who are indebted to the same are requested to make prompt payment thereof to me. ESTHER WILBY, Administratrix.
Victoria, 25th July, 1881. jy28'1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE INtend to make application to purchase twenty-three thousand and forty (23,040) Acres of Crown Land situate at False Head, Broughton Strait and Rupert Arm, Quatsino Sound, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, commencing at the Southeast corner post of Section No. 1, Quatsino District, situate on Rupert Arm, Quatsino Sound; thence true North following the East Boundary of said Section No. 1, 80 chains, more or less, to the Northeast corner of said section No. 1; thence true North two miles; thence true East nine miles; thence true North two miles, more or less, to False Head on Broughton Strait; thence in an Easterly direction to a point on the shore of Broughton Strait, four miles, more or less; thence true South two miles, more or less, to a point true East from the head of Rupert Arm; thence true West nine miles, more or less, to the head of Rupert Arm; thence in a Westerly direction, following the sinuosities of the shore to the initial point.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.

J. ROLAND HETT,
M. W. WAITT,
DONALD McLEAN,
H. S. ROEBUCK,
ARTHUR STANHOPE FARWELL.
Victoria, B.C., May 30th, 1881. je21

NOTICE.

DURING THE TEMPORARY ABSENCE OF THE undersigned Mr. J. C. BALES will transact the business of the Lancashire Insurance Company.
A. R. GREEN.
Victoria, V.I., 20th July, 1881 jy21

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE

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WILLIAM TEAGUE, ESQ., Secretary.
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NOTICE.

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Daily Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 6TH, 1881.

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MURDER.

It is a dreadful crime. The vengeance of God visits the murderer. He cannot sleep. When he retires to rest the blood of his victim presses like a nightmare on his breast, and he cannot breathe. In perpetual torment he moves from place to place, but he cannot fly from himself. He is his own tormentor, a miniature picture of that purgatory which the Roman Catholic dreads more than death. It is an old maxim that he who allows oppression shares the crime and he who deliberately permits the murderer to escape is a felon. Six months ago we called attention to several statements made by settlers on the Mainland with reference to the murderers of TOM POOLE and his children. The circumstantial evidence presented by us was merely a copy of the statements that had been previously placed in the hands of our "responsible ministers." Looking calmly at the facts we had no hesitation in declaring that the evidence on which HALLIDAY had been arrested was *bogus* and that there was no substantial charge against this unfortunate citizen. A grand jury recently declared the evidence worthless and HALLIDAY is now a free man. But the murderers of POOLE are at liberty. Our local ministers do not believe it is necessary to make any inquiry and the settlers in secluded districts begin to fear the consequences of the puerile fiddling and positive insignificance that direct the executive department of the province. Is there no such thing as public opinion? Are the people so helpless or so stupid as to permit our local SOLONS to rest at ease in their offices and do nothing while murderers are at large and in all probability calculating the chances of escape after committing another awful crime? The attorney-general has had time enough to cruise in the political latitudes of the north. He may be able to secure the services of his partizans and a chance of holding his place as chief director of the do-nothing administration. He does not seem to care a straw who is murdered; of circumstantial evidence he is not a judge; but he understands the art of making TOM, DICK and HARRY believe that he is one of themselves. And this he believes to be the whole duty of the man who hopes to be a minister, a chief commissioner and the boss attorney of a British province. In the United States the system of electing a good fellow is played out in that country. TOM, DICK and HARRY begin to feel that a good fellow without brains is not fit to make roads, or bridges, or laws, and that he is in a safer place at home or in a taproom than in the Senate. "The good fellow," as a representative man, is on his last legs, and we assure the attorney-general and the two other gingerbread jokers that their negligence in the POOLE murder case will be one of the things that will most assuredly end their career as ministerial magnates. We are on the eve of great changes in political circles. A general election is at hand. The farmers on the Mainland, trembling in terror of the assassin and persecuted by a system of double taxation, have resolved to get rid of the influence of good fellowship until the elections are over. For thirty days they will remember that men with brains are required to make laws and roads and to stop the career of the assassin. Our legislative assembly is destined to look like a place of business and the puerile attempts at debating must give way to solid, substantial work. "My honorable friend" sounds well, but it simply means an honorable fiddlestick who represents himself. We do not venture to hope that our local SOLONS will make any attempt to secure the murderers of POOLE. Justice must sleep until the electors open their eyes.

THE GAS OR OIL CONTROVERSY.

The meeting of Tuesday settled the matter in favor of gas. The ratepayers have almost unanimously condemned the action of the City Council, declared the demands of the gas company reasonable and advised the councillors to accept the company's proposition. A few may be disposed to ignore the voice of that meeting, to declare that it is not the voice of a majority of all the ratepayers, and to say that they will not obey it; but those who may act upon that assumption will soon be undeceived. If the town were polled to-morrow we doubt if there would be 50 votes recorded in favor of the use of oil. Such being the case, what is the plain duty of the councillors? To gracefully acquiesce in the wish of the meeting and make immediate arrangements for relighting the town with gas. The sum involved is altogether too paltry to engage the serious attention of the Council a single moment now that it is known what the persons from whose pockets is drawn the civic revenue desire. A compromise is too absurd to be talked about. Already, it is feared, a sum twice as large has been wasted in the purchase of lamps, posts and oil for the proposed new system. A large majority of the ratepayers condemn the action of the Council, and there would be nothing unmanly or degrading for that body to recede from their position in obedience to the demand. There is another important matter which has grown out of this controversy to which we would direct attention. It is the proposition of Mr. THOMSON to reduce the price of gas from $4 to $3.50 per thousand provided 75 additional consumers for one year can be obtained, and to make a further reduction to $3 per thousand when 50 more consumers are added, each additional public lamp to be counted as a consumer. The proposition should engage the attention of consumers. Coal oil at present rates is cheaper *per se* than gas; but when the inconvenience and the time consumed in preparing the lamps and the cost of chimneys are taken into consideration, not to speak of the inferiority of oil as an illuminating agent, the balance will, we think, be found to be in favor of the gas. We should like to hear from housekeepers and storekeepers on this proposition.

The Spirit of the Age.

TO THE EDITOR:—With respect to this subject upon which the committee of the Mechanics' Institute have offered a prize for the best poem, and by advertisement invited competition, it is to be hoped those entering the lists and indulging in the gushings of sweet poetry will not regard the many instances of barbarity so often made known through the medium of the press as in any way indicative of the spirit of the age, but rather as so many exceptional and uncouth departures therefrom.

The spirit of the age means an anxious desire for general amelioration and is remarkable for its philanthropy. Never was such desire more strongly manifested than in the age we live in.

There perhaps may be found some who would contend that even the excesses that in the present day have been committed, viz., by the French communists, the nihilists, and the Irish land law leaguers, objectionable as they may appear, and calling for denunciation are, after all, only so many means devised for general amelioration; and that the very brutalities committed are but indicative of intensity of desire for the accomplishment of such amelioration. Be that as it may, it is much to be regretted that in these days of enlightenment such extreme measures and desperate remedies should be regarded as necessary.

Now if we look for the origin and the source from which have been derived the revolutionary actions of the political agitators just alluded to we shall find it in the examples set in the first French revolution. The brutalities subsequently committed by the French communists were the legacy of that first French revolution, breaking out again after lying dormant some half century and its contagious effects, spread to Germany, to Russia, to Irish land leaguers, and eventually to the Irish American press.

When these sanguinary movements will subside and these angry altercations cease, it is very difficult to predict, but so far as England is concerned it is to be hoped the passing of the Irish land bill will have a pacificatory tendency, and allay much animosity; and that if the Irish American press continue to agitate in favor of the "skirmishing league" being carried out the American government, influenced by the brotherhood that should exist amongst nations, will do as England did in the case of the "Freiheit," viz., invoke the law and deal out pains and penalties. With present troubles thus settled, with France in the meantime contented with her republic, Germany and Russia may be left to settle their troubles with socialists and nihilists as best they may.

In conclusion, the committee of the Mechanics Institute in selecting such a subject for a prize poem as "the spirit of the age," have given one worthy of the invocation of the muse and it is to be hoped that it will bring forth many competitors on or before the 1st of November. W. K. B.

Chief Engineer.

TO THE EDITOR:—In your Sunday's issue I noticed a letter signed "Ratepayer." The writer is evidently laboring under great anxiety as to the chances of our present worthy chief engineer for a second term at the forthcoming fire department election.

As an old member of the organization I might advise "Ratepaper" that a second term candidate for a paid billet is in direct opposition to the well understood wishes and intentions of the members of the department unless there be no new candidate duly qualified for the position. Being a volunteer organization, it is essentially necessary to keep up the vitality and efficiency of the brigade by inducing a healthy emulation amongst the members and allowing them as they show themselves qualified to each take their succeeding turn as chief and assistant engineers. I therefore have no doubt that our present chief Mr. Phillips, to whom all credit is due, will, with his usual good sense and courtesy, and having the welfare of the department at heart, withdraw his name as a second term candidate in favor of his able assistant chief Mr. Borde when he learns that it is the intention of that gentleman to stand as a candidate for chief engineer for the approaching term. As is well known Mr. Borde is a practical fireman of 12 years' training, a steady, respectable young man and I am certain his election as head of the department will receive the endorsement of the citizens of Victoria.

RATEPAYER AND FIREMAN.

Volunteers Injured While on Duty.

TO THE EDITOR.—Has the Dominion Government made any provision for volunteers who may be injured in the execution of their duty? I ask as one who thinks of joining the Dominion. SERVICE.

[Section 68 of the Militia Act provides that when any officer or man is killed in actual service, or dies from wounds or disease contracted on actual service, provision shall be made for his wife and family out of the public funds.

2. And all cases of permanent disability arising from injuries received or illness contracted on actual service shall be reported on by a medical board and compensation awarded under such regulations as may be made from time to time by the governor in council; and any medical practitioner who shall sign a false certificate in any such case shall incur a penalty of four hundred dollars.

Under the Queen's regulations for the militia—Sections 732 and 737 provide for compensation in cases of temporary disability, in case of injury received or illness contracted or actual service, on duty or at drill.—ED. COLONIST.]

A Summer Trip Through Canada.

[Correspondence of The Colonist.]

TORONTO, Aug., 1881.

Toronto, queen city of the west, lies on the north shore of lake Ontario. We left this city at 2 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 11th of July. The scenery is beautiful along the lake. Toronto is a large city, but one would never think it by just walking through the streets; but when you are on the lake it is a sight never to be forgotten,—church spires and public buildings, great warehouses and private residences appear grand in the distance. The lake is like an ocean, so large that as the steamer proceeds land can only be seen on one side, and some times it cannot be seen at all. At six o'clock we stopped at a place called Bowmansville. It is a small town very prettily situated. The boat runs into a kind of canal, and after landing the passengers and mail returns to the lake and continues until it reaches Port Hope, which is a pretty place. We saw the Port Hope College in the distance; it is lofty building, and very much like the University of Toronto. We longed to step ashore and see the six Victoria boys, who are being educated there, but the captain, like time and tide, would wait for neither man nor woman, so we pushed ahead. At eight o'clock we stopped at Coburg, which is a beautiful place, very like Victoria. All the fashion and beauty were down on the wharf to see the boat come in. Coburg is situated amid trees. It is a lovely sight to see the steeples of the churches towering above the trees and the houses nestled between. At three o'clock in the morning we stopped at Kingston, where we lay until five in the morning. Nothing can be seen of the city from the wharf, for it is built a long way off. After leaving Kingston we began to enter the great

ST. LAWRENCE RIVER.

What a beautiful river it is, flowing on its course to join the ocean. We then skirted along the Thousand Islands. They are dotted all over the river; some have light houses built upon them. Others have little farms, and others again are destitute of habitation. The further we go the more we see of this great river as it curves in and out and grows so wide at the mouth that you cannot see land. We reached Brockville about nine o'clock. This is a fine place. Along the shore at different points people have built boat houses, and I should think that yachting is a popular amusement. The houses in the town are built mostly of stone and look very pretty amongst the green trees. We next began to draw near to the old town of Prescott. The country all around is very fertile and in places is covered with maple and fir trees. At twelve o'clock we entered the

FIRST RAPID.

The boat swung from side to side; we soon entered the rapid known as the "Longue Sault." The water rose very high and the boat pitched and rolled so much that the people were very nearly thrown off their feet. We seemed always running into rapids; no sooner got out of one than we entered another. The Cedar rapids are very beautiful—in fact the best of all. As a gentleman remarked: "We are now coming to a rapid which is indeed a rapid; in fact the rapidest rapid of all the rapids." After passing the rapids we saw where

OTTAWA RIVER

empties into the St. Lawrence. The waters of the Ottawa run side by side for some distance before mingling. It is a beautiful sight, for the St. Lawrence is a dark blue, and the Ottawa a light purple. We could now see Montreal in the distance. It a large, busy and beautiful city, situated at the foot of a mountain, with a forest of shipping lying at its wharves. On the 13th July we were detained by fog and had to anchor in the river. The captain would not go on as there was a dangerous reef of rocks near. The boat we were on is a pleasure boat and the state rooms are all built like the bridal rooms on the mail steamship Idaho. At last, about 12 o'clock, the fog lifted a little, and the boat was able to go on to

QUEBEC.

We were too late to catch the train for Metis, so we had to remain there until Thursday morning. Quebec is a very old city. It is built on a hill and is surrounded by stone walls. The streets are so narrow that one could shake hands out of the window with a person on the opposite side. The houses are built principally of stone, varying from one to four stories in height. We drove out in the afternoon to see Notre Dame—that is the Roman Catholic cathedral. It is a handsome and imposing building of stone. The pictures inside the church are very beautiful, being painted by the old masters. They have also some very handsome statues. We drove through the gates erected by Lord Dufferin. They are only archways of stone, with a little tower at one end. Drove out to the "Plains of Abraham." On these plains Wolfe defeated Montcalm and decided the destiny of Lower Canada. There is a monument of stone with an iron railing round it erected to Wolfe's memory. Drove to the citadel, which is surrounded with stone walls with holes cut in them for the cannon. There is only one regiment stationed there now and they live within the barracks. The Marquis of Lorne's house is there. Quebec is divided into upper and lower town. The lower town is where all the business is carried on and the upper where the people live. After tea we took a stroll on Dufferin Terrace, which is a broad walk below the citadel and where everyone promenades of an evening. We left Quebec on the 14th and crossed over in a ferry boat to Point Levis, a town on the opposite side where the trains start from. We left Point Levis at about ten minutes past eight a. m. and arrived at Metis about five o'clock. Metis is only a small seaside place; the hotel is very near the water and there is a very nice beach for bathing. One can hardly realize that this water, which looks like a sea, is only the river St. Lawrence. Metis is a very pretty village, very quiet and pleasant. A great number of people go there every summer, many having cottages of their own. The bathing is very nice, a little cold, perhaps, but one does not mind that. Went to see the grand Metis falls. We had to drive for about ten miles along the seashore. Then we turned into the woods until we reached the falls. Oh! how grand the waters are—rushing over the steep sides, dashing and roaring as they carry huge logs down over the rocks. Some prefer them to Niagara. E.

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Victoria District, Aug 30, 1881. au31dw1m

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SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up till Monday, 5th September, for making about Seven and one-half Miles of Ditch and Dyke in Townships 3 and 4 New Westminster District.

Each Tender must be accompanied with the names of two good sureties in the amount of the contract price for the faithful performance of the work.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at Mr. R. T. Williams' Bookbindery, Victoria; at the office of T. R. Pearson & Co., New Westminster, and at the residence of the undersigned. Separate Tenders will be received for the work as stated in the specifications.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of the Commissioners,
WM. McKEE, Clerk.
Bayview Farm, Delta, Aug. 11, 1881. au23dw

THE YALE FIRE---CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED RETURNS HIS SINCERE thanks to Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co. of Victoria, Agents for the North British and Mercantile Insurance Co., for the prompt and liberal manner in which they have adjusted the losses sustained by him in consequence of the late fire.
I. C. INSLEY.
Cascade House, Yale, Aug. 22d. au24dw

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, under section 6, Land Amendment Act, 1879, to purchase One Hundred and Sixty (160) Acres of Crown Land situated in Nicola Valley, at the foot of Stump Lake, commencing at the Southwest corner stake; thence running Southeast 20 chains; Northeast to the edge of the lake 40 chains; thence to the Northwest 20 chains; thence to the starting point on Southwest corner 10 chains.

No mining claims or minerals are known to exist on said land.

A notice was posted up on said land.
WILLIAM PALMER.
Nicola Valley, August 6, 1881. au21dw

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Post Office, &c., New Westminster," B.C., will be received at this office until TUESDAY, the 30th day of August next, inclusively, for the erection of Post Office, &c., at New Westminster, British Columbia.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of Hon. J. W. Trutch, Victoria, B. C., and at the Post Office, New Westminster, on and after Monday, the 1st day of August next.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms supplied.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

This Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,
F. H. ENNIS,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 18th July, 1881.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

The time for receiving tenders for above works is hereby extended until THURSDAY, the 15th September next.
By order,
F. H. ENNIS, Secretary.
Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 15th August, 1881. se4

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NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
'30 LD. LOWENBERG.

Daily Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 6TH, 1881.

TELEPHONIC.

THE COLONIST editorial rooms are in telephoni communication with the central office, with Esquimalt and with the residence of the proprietor. Parties having news or other information to communicate will confer a favor by transmitting it to this office through the instrument of the nearest subscriber.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept. 5--Str Etta White, Burrard Inlet
Bk Doxford, Liverpool
Ship Chipman, Barrow
Slp Una, Chemainus
Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str W. G. Hunt, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Sept. 5--Str Etta White, Burrard Inlet
Slp Una, Chemainus
Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str W. G. Hunt, Nanaimo
Str Eva, Fort Simpson

PASSENGERS.

Per str W. SLOPE, fm Yale—Miss Moore, Miss Williams, Mrs Hall, Mrs Townsend, Miss I. Williams, Mrs Atkinson, Mrs McGuirns, Miss Smith, L Malatesta, R D Horan, F Carrol, M Cohill, C Anderson, J Morley, Tierney, A Gilmore, H Jones, H Renny, Rev Tait, Rev Hall, H Topp, Atkinson, C B Sword, P Wirth M Cohen, Glendenning, Peter, H Mathers, F Serc, J Clark, Craig, Donald McDonald, H Stewart, W Passer and several others, 25 Chinese and 13 Indians,

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 3rd inst., Helen Louise, the beloved daughter of W. H. and Emily Brooks, aged 8 months and 10 days.

The funeral will take place from the residence of the parents, corner of Fort and Cook streets, on TUESDAY, 6th inst., at 2:30 p. m. Friends are invited.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The Guaranteed Circulation of "The Colonist" is more than double that of any other Newspaper Published in the Province.

Death of Another Pioneer.

Another '58 pioneer, Mr. John Lewis, passed away yesterday about 1 p. m. with awful suddenness. He left his house at 11 a.m. and went to Mrs. Medina's place, James Bay, to do a job of whitewashing which he had bargained to perform and while busy fell down and it is thought instantly expired. When first seen he was supposed to be asleep, but shortly afterwards on further examination life was found to be entirely extinct. Deceased had been complaining for a few days previously of not being able to walk far without resting, and on Sunday he consulted Dr. Trimble, who soon pronounced him far gone with heart disease and gave him imperative orders to discontinue work. Having this small job on hand, however, he concluded to try and to do it, but fell at his post. Mr. Lewis has been well known in this city since 1858, when with many other colored people he came here and invested in town property. He, together with his first wife, were born in slavery in the state of Maryland. At an early age he learned the trade of a blacksmith and by carefully saving all his earnings, while yet a young man purchased his own feedom. He then devoted all his earnings to the redemption of his young wife; and having accomplished this object left Baltimore for Philadelphia. In 1848 they left for California, where he worked at mining with varied success till starting for British Columbia. While in the mines of California he lost his voice and had never been able to speak above a whisper since. This misfortune was undoubtedly brought on by severe labor and the exposure incident to a miner's life; but the old man, who almost since childhood has been a conscientious Methodist, attributed this affliction to a judgment from the Almighty for not endeavoring to check the wickedness and blasphemy of his associates in the California mining camps. Deceased was a powerful, well built man, probably over 70 years of age, of considerable shrewdness and originality, greatly respected by all who knew him and of much influence for good, not only among people of his own color, but among all with whom he came in contact in the church to which he belonged. His stirring, quaint and sometimes humorous appeals at church meetings will not soon be forgotten by those who have had the privilege of listening to them. It is generally supposed that he had no relations, near or remote, belonging to him, either in the States or elsewhere.

CHINESE GAMBLERS IN SAN FRANCISCO. In a letter received from San Francisco mention is made of the police having pounced upon some 250 Chinamen engaged in unlawfully playing at a gambling game called "Tan," and that although there was a general scampering and rush made to the door to escape, the police managed to secure seventy of them and marched them off to gaol, where they were all fined $20 each, and paid the $1400 to which the dues amounted. A nice haul, it is remarked, for that city, and the police every night succeed in catching such offenders.

The Stool Rails.

The ship Chipman is the first vessel to reach this port from the modern port of Barrow-on-Furness, England. The harbor and docks were only completed a few years, and already a large and rapidly increasing town has sprung up. Several other ships are now on the way to this port, the local shipment being 10,000 tons, a quantity, it is thought, sufficient to iron the Port Moody and Emory section as well as complete the Yale-Savona line. There are no rails on the way for the Island railway, but a portion of the rails now afloat may be applied to the construction of that section.

Sir Charles Tupper.

Sir Charles Tupper and party arrived at Yale yesterday and will reach Victoria Wednesday. Here Sir Charles and Lady Tupper will be the guests of Hon. Mr. Trutch until the departure of the steamer on Saturday.

FROM YALE.—The steamer Western Slope arrived at 11:30 o'clock last night from Yale, which place she left at 8 a. m. yesterday morning, being detained till that hour by a dense fog. She brought down some fifty passengers besides a large number of Chinamen and Indians. The large salmon are still being caught; but the season is approaching its close. The Slope will leave again at 11 a. m. to-morrow.

SNOW IN AUGUST.—At Barkerville on the 23rd and 24th August there was a heavy fall of snow and thick ice formed in buckets and tubs

Silver Bugle Contest.

The Halifax *Herald* of August 12th states that the contest at the Bedford range for the silver bugle presented by Col. Laurie, and $30 added by the Association, is expected to be one of the keenest ever known in the annals of provincial shooting. The conditions of the match are as follows: To be competed for annually by teams of ten from any cavalry corps, field battery, brigade of artillery or battalion of infantry or rifles, organized in the province of Nova Scotia. Distance, 200, 400 and 600 yards. Seven rounds at each range. No sighting shots. The bugle to be handed over for the year to the commanding officer of the winning corps, to be further competed for by teams of ten men from each battery or company of the brigade or battalion, at the same distances and same number of rounds. This company competition is not to be held during the annual practice of the several companies, but it is to be a separate and distinct competition, and full returns forwared to the secretary of the Provincial Rifle Association. Should the commanding officer of winning corps be unable from any cause to carry out the competition by a team from *each* of the companies in his corps, he is to report to that effect, and surrender the bugle to the corps standing next in the battalion competition, who will receive it subject to the fulfilment of these conditions. The company competition need not be held on the battalion range, but under proper supervision can be held on the several company ranges as far as possible on the same day and under the same conditions. Additional interest is imparted to the contest at Halifax by the fact that Colonel Laurie has presented a silver bugle for competition by the militia of this province under regulations precisely similar. A comparison of the relative shooting by contestants here and at Halifax will be a matter of considerable interest both to the corps and the public generally.

Marine.

The British ship Chipman, Captain Lewis, arrived in Royal Roads yesterday morning 138 days from Barrow-on-Furness, England, with 1560 tons of steel rails for the Island railroad. She was towed into Esquimalt harbor by the Etta White where she will discharge. She left Barrow-on-Furness on the 19th April and crossed the equator on the Atlantic side on the 12th May. Had moderate winds to near the latitude of Cape Horn. Was off the Strait of Le Maire on the 14th June. Encountered head winds and tremendous seas, and a succession of very heavy gales for 15 days off the Horn, during which no progress whatever was made. Crossed the equator again on the 5th July and had light northerly winds on to Cape Flattery. Arrived in the straits on Saturday last and in Royal Roads yesterday morning. Findlay, Durham & Brodie of this city are the consignees.

The hatches of the barque Doxford were removed yesterday morning when her cargo was found to be in first-class condition. Between 300 and 400 tons are for Portland, Oregon, to which port she is bound for a return cargo after discharging here. A new boiler for the D. G. steamer Sir James Douglas was discharged in the afternoon.

Steamship Hylton Castle passed up for Departure Bay yesterday afternoon.

Steamship Idaho will sail hence on Saturday at 3 p.m.

OIL! OIL!

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Fairly Launched.

The new agricultural society is now fairly launched. The officers have been chosen, the constitution adopted, and all things connected with the institution will speedily be in working order. The absence of a large representation from the mainland and island country districts is accounted for by the fact that the movement being of very recent origin steps could not be taken to secure many members from those sections. At a future meeting it is hoped this difficulty will be overcome when additions may be made to the board of management. It is undecided whether a show will be held this year or not. The matter is in the hands of the managers.

AN amusing mistake has led to the creation of a gigantic nuisance in the English London. A merchant, hearing of the success of American "drummers" (commercial travellers) in securing trade, and taking the word in its literal sense, adopted the plan of having brass and fife and drum bands to advertise his goods, and the style has been followed with the result mentioned.

FLEMING CUP.—The competition for this handsome challenge cup by members of the active militia, will take place simultaneously at Victoria New Westminster and Nanaimo on Saturday the 10th September, commencing at 2:30 p. m. Seven rounds each at 300 and 600 yards.

SUCCESSFUL HUNTING.—A small party of hunters went a few miles out of town a day or two ago and before evening had bagged seven deer and a fat bear, the last weighing over 200 pounds.

GAS VERSUS COAL OIL.—This vexed question has been decided in favor of the former. A new burner was put on the lamp at the corner of Yates and Government last evening and the welcome gas turned on.

FOR BURRARD INLET.—The steamer Etta White left at 9 o'clock last evening for Hastings Mill and Moodyville. She towed up a barge to the latter place for lumber.

THE fire department lawsuit commences to-day at 12 o'clock noon before Chief Justice Sir M. B. Begbie.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.)

MONDAY, Sept 5.

Considerable interest was manifested this morning in Police Court doings by both whites and natives, as there were several assault cases to be disposed of, some Indian robberies and an unusual number of drunk and disorderlies. Those, five in number, whites, half-breeds and Indians were first dealt with, the recognizances of some being estreated and the usual fine imposed upon others.

Charley, a Simpsian Indian, was charged with having a bottle of gin in his possession on Sunday night, to which charge he pleaded guilty and was fined $25, or in default of payment two months' imprisonment.

A votary of Bacchus out on bail here put in an appearance and was fined the statuary five shillings for creating a disturbance on the wharf on Saturday afternoon.

Jim, a Songish Indian, was charged with robbery and assaulting a Cowichan Indian named Lahasset on Pandora street on Wednesday last.

Prisoner pleaded not guilty in very emphatic Chinook.

Complainant described the way he was choked by the prisoner with a handkerchief: and that prisoner tore his pocket and took the money ($10) out of it; there was no one present but prisoner and his clootchman; afterwards plaintiff said there were two women; recognized one of the half dollars produced in Court.

Sergeant Bloomfield deposed that on Thursday morning last the last witness complained to him of having been robbed of $10, and that the prisoner and two Indian women had taken it; he arrested the prisoner in the afternoon and found the $2 produced in Court in his possession; the half dollar identified by complainant was in the prisoner's pocket; he had been spending money about town.

Prisoner stated that he met the plaintiff and that they drank a bottle of gin together and then he was accused of stealing the money.

His Honor considered the charge of robbery sufficiently proven and sentenced the prisoner to six months' imprisonment with hard labor.

The charge against the prisoner's clootchman was dismissed.

The case of robbery of $240 from an Indian at New Westminster was, on application of Supt. Todd, remanded for one week for the production of further evidence.

T. A. Collins was charged with assaulting Richard Jones in North Saanich on Friday week last by threatening to strike him with his fist.

Complainant denied having given the defendant any provocation whatever; defendant called him a liar, a thief and a rascal.

The evidence of Wm. Towner was to the effect that complainant and defendant had an altercation at his place in North Saanich, but that it did not amount to much.

The defendant deposed that plaintiff called him a liar without any previous provocation; he did not shake his fist in plaintiff's face, but told him that had he been a younger man he would have "pummelled" him.

His Honor considered that the case had not been proven and he would therefore dismiss the charge without costs to either party.

The assault case of Healy against Gerritsen was next called on.

Mr. Pollard on behalf of the defendant pleaded guilty to the charge of assault, but that it was done under great provocation.

The defendant, who is deaf, on being sworn stated by means of written questions that he had an adopted half-breed daughter that had been at the convent for six years; she is now about 14 years of age; plaintiff had endeavored to tamper with her by writing love letters to her; had complained to Supt. O'Connor about plaintiff going to his house every night; met plaintiff on Friday morning on Government street near the Boomerang; he had a malicious face on him; called plaintiff a loafer and said he wanted to steal his little girl; could not hear what plaintiff said; told him he wantod to see his little girl who was 14 years of age; might have struck him but did not know what he did; plaintiff struck him with his baton and he (witness) caught a verandah post to avoid falling; his coat was torn; the girl was 15 years of age on the 30th of August.

His Honor said that as there were two cross summonses in the case the punishment in this charge would be reserved till all of them were heard; as the plaintiff had lost his situation his Honor thought that was sufficient punishment for his indiscretion in the matter.

Mr. Gerritsen, as plaintiff in the other cases, withdrew them.

His Honor remarked that the offence of an officer striking a citizen without sufficient provocation was a serious one; an assault upon an officer in the execution of his duty was also a serious charge; but Healy was not at that time in the execution of his duty. He would impose a fine of $10 on Mr. Gerritsen for breaking the peace or in default one month's imprisonment.

The fine was at once paid.

PRAISING CANADIANS.—Our United States contemporaries are disposed to speak in very flattering terms of the showing which Canada makes in the census returns just published. The Buffalo *Commercial Advertiser* says they point "to the indomitable energy" of the people of the Dominion, and further, that "in the matter of commercial enterprise Canada is excelled by few nations on the face of the earth. We boast about our pushing ways and ability to overcome natural difficulties, but in some respects the Canadiane have fairly outdone us."

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. At a full meeting of this congregation last evening the following managers were elected for the ensuing year: Mr. H. F. Heisterman, chairman; Mr. Hutcheson, secretary; Mr. Lawson, treasurer; and Messrs. Halliday, McMicking, James Burns, Spring, Dorman, Rithet, Russell, A. B. Gray, Glendenning and Carmichael.

YALE RELIEF.—It is worthy of remark that the originators and prominent movers at Victoria in the Relief of Yale movement were residents of that town in the gold mining days of 1858.

THE schooner Bonanza with a full cargo of hemlock bark for the Rock Bay Tannery (Heathorn's) arrived Sunday night. This is the third cargo of the season.

A GOOD EXAMPLE.—On Saturday evening the employés of the Rock Bay Tannery subscribed $30 to the fund for the relief of the Yale sufferers.

THE "JERSEY" and other new style Jackets just received. THOS. WILSON & Co. *

Discouraging Local Manfactures.

City councillors are stultifying themselves on the question of the encouragement of local industries. They passed a bylaw to bonus a woolen mills within the municipality. That was a good and proper thing. But they are now doing their level best to remove the good impression they created in the woolen enterprise by adopting the use of foreign made coal oil to the exclusion of an illuminator produced from provincial coal by local workmen! Consistency *is* a jewel.

SUMMONSES.—Another assault case, arrising out of some difficulty on board the barque Doxford, will be heard to-day at the police court. A party is summoned for to-morrow for keeping a ferocious dog across James Bay.

IN response to the citizens' address we are pleased to state that the Victoria Amateur Orchestra and Dramatic Societies will give a performance on behalf of the Yale sufferers. The evening is not as yet settled; but we believe Wednesday week will be fixed upon. Due notice will be given

ARCHBISHOP SEGHERS returned to town last evening from the east coast, walking into town from North Saanich, a weary and tiresome journey. During his absence His Grace visited all the east coast missions where he was received with much cordiality by his former flocks.

HARRISON LAKE SILVER.—Specimens of silver ore from Harrison lake leads have returned an assay value of $138 to the ton.

CHIEF.—Mr. Joseph Wriglesworth is a candidate for chief engineer.

ASSISTANT.—Mr. H. C. Wilson is a candidate for assistant engineer.

The Author of the Land Bill.

The *Pall Malt Gazette*, presumably by the pen of Mr. John Morley, pays an eloquent tribute to the statesman who framed the Land Bill and carried it through the Commons. "In its amended form," says that paper, "the measure is substantially what it was; there is no alteration in its structure. It is safe to say that no bill covering so much ground has ever emerged from the ordeal of criticism in the House of Commons with so few changes. There could be no more decisive testimony to the strength, the completeness, the full mastery by Mr. Gladstone of his own idea of what the measure should be. It is this thorough mastery and comprehension which explain the incomparable vigor, readiness and alacrity which Mr. Gladstone has shown in the committee. He has received useful assistance from Mr. Law; but when handsome allowance has been made for that everybody sees that it is Mr. Gladstone who has carried on the fight. If he ventured to go out for half an hour to eat some dinner, things went wrong or business came to a standstill. No colleague could take his place, not merely because he only had full authority, but because nobody else both knows the bill and is an equal master of the art of rapid, firm and strenuous argumentation. Unlike the majority, not only of the House of Commons, but of the human race, Mr. Gladstone knows how to distinguish. He can not only mark differences (which seems so simple, but is so rare), but when he sees a difference he is able to see it in all its bearings. The House of Commons has certainly not seen in our day any piece of advocacy so impressive and commanding. For what is extraordinary in Mr. Gladstone is the degree in which he unites acumen, grasp and argumentative resource with moral vigor and eloquence. Eloquence is a much misused word, and the word is not more often abused than the thing. Whatever else his enemies may say of Mr. Gladstone's exuberance, he shows none of it when there is real business on hand. In committee nobody sticks closer to the point or dispatches work with livlier expedition. One night last week, it is true, he flamed out into a vivid protest against obstruction, and all who heard it agree that a more effective interposition was never made. It is not merely his own followers, it is the whole House, who feel on such occasions how powerful a leader he is, how worthy of his position. Even Conservatives and irreconcilables are alive to the incomparable ability, the splendid energy with which the Prime Minister has fought his battle under the most harassing circumstances, and after forty-nine years of ardent parliamentary life. For Mr. Gladstone preserves just the qualities which the House of Commons is most calculated to deaden and benumb. The most enthusiastic young Liberal who has just got a seat has not a keener freshness of spirit than Mr. Gladstone, who has sat through eleven complete Parliaments. Experience always ripens the faculties of capable men, but it nearly always slackens the intensity of their interests and cools their ardor for improvement. In Mr. Gladston's case just the opposite of this has happened. If we want to know the secret one part of it is certainly to be found in the fact that Mr. Gladstone, if he has been a great member of Parliament for nearly half a century, yet has all that time been habitually looking outside Parliament. He has become one of the strongest leaders that the House has ever had, because he never allowed it to limit or master the ideas and the interests, intellectual and moral, with which he chose to live."

IT is an indisputable fact that Hall's Hair Renewer renews, cleanses, brightens, invigorates and restores faded or gray hair to its youthful color and lustre, cheaply, quickly and surely. People with gray hair prefer to buy it, rather than proclaim to the world through their bleached locks that they are becoming aged, and passing on to decay. *

Go out in the damp air, or sit unprotected in a draught, and your throat will feel sore and your head uncomfortable. You have taken a cold, which you can remove as promptly as you received it by using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. *

PIANOS AND ORGANS for sale or hire at Bagnall's old-established music store. *

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

NEVADA.

RENO, Nev., Sept. 5.—Mr. Benjamin, of the Anglo-California Bank, Keddie of Quincy and others are here to select a route for a two-foot railroad to Plumas County. Woodward of Boston arrived to-night.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Mrs. Allison, wife of Senator Allison of Iowa, walked from the Castle yesterday where she had been stopping at a water-cure hotel to Silver lake, a distance of four miles, and deliberately walked into the water with her clothes on. When rescued by a fisherman she said, "I tried to drown myself." The lady is supposed to be partially insane. Afterwards she said, "I tried to drown myself and not cause my husband any more trouble.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The *Herald* this morning publishes interviews with prominent men on the subject of the inability of the president and the right of Arthur to take the reins of government. Ex-President Hayes, the report says, declined to be interviewed on the subject, but from what we learn he does not think it advisable under the circumstances to have Gen. Arthur act during the disability of Garfield.

CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 5.—Latest advices throw doubt on the general massacre of Carr's command having occurred. It is now reported that Lieuts. DeCruze and Stanton, and probably other officers and some dozen enlisted men, were killed. No particulars yet.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, SEPT. 5, 12.30 P.M.—The president's condition has not changed materially since last bulletin was issued, except that there is some increase in the frequency of his pulse. He has taken with some relish the nourishment administered by mouth, and had no return of gastric irritation. Pulse 114.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—A private dispatch from Washington from unusually well-informed source says the inflamed gland on the president's neck is threatening to slough off, in which case his removal will be delayed.

A GOOD WORD FOR THE OLD BRIDE. Victoria snubbed the Baroness Burdett-Coutts, and now some of the newspapers are beginning to cut up Her Majesty. One of them says: "The lady need not pine in the gloom of royal disfavor. Her fortune exceeds even the Queen's, and she has not stinted and begged it, either, as Victoria has done, from Parliament and the people. While the one refuses to give a penny to any cause, the other is known wherever the English language is spoken as the open-handed friend of every deserving cause, whose charities have been lavished by millions."

BURNETT'S COCOAINE.

A Lady's Hair Saved by its Use.

BURNETT'S COCOAINE will keep the hair in a strong and healthy condition *by stimulating the roots of the hair and restoring the natural action upon which its growth depends.* Twenty years ago a single bottle saved a lady's hair in a desperate case where everything had failed; and since that early success thousands of cases of Baldness, Dandruff, Loss of Hair and Irritation of the Scalp have yielded to this remedy. *

DEATH IN THE COFFEE POT.—The public are cautioned against purchasing imported California ground coffee. Its cheapness is its only recommendation. The ingredients are of the vilest description, as anyone using it will discover should he examine the grounds. During the perihelia of the planets people should be careful what they eat and drink. Don't allow your grocer to palm off his trash upon you, because it pays him better to sell it than the good article. Ask for FELL & Co.'s Coffee and take no other. *

MR. E. M. WILSON, with his wonderful Microscope and Magnifying Glass, opened out yesterday at the Adelphi corner and did a thriving business. The instrument is compact and very powerful. A small piece of cheese when viewed through one of them drives away all desire for that valuable food. Get one by all means and 'twill be a dollar well spent. *

RE-OPENING AT YALE.—I take pleasure in notifying my friends that I intend commencing business at the earliest possible date, under the able management of MR. D. CAMPBELL. T. SHOTBOLT.
Victoria, B. C., 29th Aug., 1881. *

MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC!—After a most successful TUNING TOUR on Puget Sound Digby Palmer, Fort Street, will resume his lessons on the PIANO AND PIANO TUNING. Orders can be left at T. N. HIBBEN & Co., Government street. *

DENTISTRY.—Mr. R. B. Thompson, Dentist. Nitrous Oxide Gas (Laughing Gas) administered for the plainless extraction of teeth. Reduced charges for plate work. Office, upstairs in the Old Masonic Building, Government street. Hours, 9 a.m. to 5 p. m. *

ASHCROFT RACES.—The annual meeting at Ashcroft will take place on the 5th and 6th October next. Many interesting races with liberal purses have been arranged and owners of fast stock should prepare for this, the most important meeting in the province. *

THE Royal beauties of Europe owe much of their personal attractiveness to the influence of Ayer's Hair Vigor, which keeps the hair fresh and bright. *

MANY Clergymen who were obliged to withdraw from the pulpit on account of "Clergymen's Sore throat," have recovered by using Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites and are preaching again. *

SEE Bagnall's $60 Organ. Just the nstrument every family ought to have. *

CUSTOMS BLANKS.—Duty blanks with with the new form of oath attached are now on sale at *The Colonist* stationery store. *

The Yale Fire.

We are the sole agents in British Columbia for the J. and J. TAYLOR, Toronto, Safe Works. These safes have alll the modern improvements and are now made to withstand a fire equal to that at St. John or Chicago. The non-conducting flange is the latest of these improvements and has been adopted after the most severe tests of its fire-resisting qualities. Instead of castiron they now use galvanized homogeneous steel which is much stronger and tougher.

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PEREMPTORY AND UNRESERVED SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

Monday, Sept'r. 12th, 1881.

COMMENCING AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.

We have received instructions to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

On the Premises, Columbia street,

THE WHOLE OF THE CONTENTS

OF THE

COLONIAL HOTEL,

CONSISTING OF:

BILLIARD & BAR ROOM.

2 Full-size Pocket Billiard Tables,
2 Carom Billiard Tables,
Billiard Balls, Cues, Bridges,
1 Bagatelle Table,
1 Pool Marker,
41 assorted Steel Engravings & Pictures.

FINE BAR COUNTER,

20 Wood Arm Chairs, large Stove, Boiler and Piping, Round and Side Tables, Coil Oil Lamps, Large Mirrors, Plated Beer Mugs, Gilt Clock Cut Decanters, Bitter Bottles, Sugar Bowls, Wines Champagnes, assorted Tumblers, Flower Boxes.

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Round and Square Tables, Arm Chairs, Pictures, Cruets, Plated Pitchers, Glassware, Celery Glasses, Sugars, Claret Jugs, Fruit Dishes, Chandeliers, Tablecloths, Napkins, Glass Racks, Hock and Claret Glasses, Plated Skewers.

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF PLATED OVAL & ROUND DISHES,

Fruit Plates, Salvers, Nutpicks.

ONE LARGE DOUBLE DOOR

TILTON AND McFARLAND SAFE,

COMBINATION LOCK.

Ivory Handled Table and Dessert Knives, Plated Table, Dessert and Tea Forks and Spoons, Salad Spoons and Forks, Nutcrackers, Trays, Tablecloths, Napkins,

FINE MONITOR STOVE, PIPE & BOILER, A LARGE ASST. OF CROCKERY,

A quantity of Stores.

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Brandy, Whiskey, Sherry, Sauterne, White Wine, Champagne, Claret, Cider, Ale and Porter, Port, Chartreuse, Syrups, Curocoa, Cassis, Vermouth, Chablis, Chambertin, Medoc, etc., etc.

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Large French Range, Copper Utensils, for Range, Sausage Chopper, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Plated Dishes, Carvers, Forks, Steels, Crockery in variety, Teapots, Clock, Lamps, Scales, Pudding Moulds, Stove, Jars, Ice Box, Lantern and Reflector, large Step Ladders, Tables Lamp Frames.

PARLORS.

Tapestry Carpets, Hair Seat Suite, Walnut Tables, Japanned Coal Scuttle, Fancy Fenders, Gilt Mirrors, Engravings, Chromos, C. O. Lamps, Curtains, Cornices, Blinds, Armchairs, Hanging Lamp.

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SEVEN OCTAVE PIANO.

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BUREAUS, WASHSTANDS, CHAIRS,
SPRING, HAIR, WOOL, AND PULU MATTRESSES,

Feather Bolsters and Pillows, Oregon, Family and ordinary Blankets, Sheets, Pillow Slips, Towels, SOFAS covered in Damask, Rep and Haircloth, Somenos, Side Tables, Toilet Mirrors, Chamber Sets. Toilet Sets, Caraffes, Antimacassars, Curtains, Blinds, Hatracks, Candlesticks, Ornaments, Fireirons, Spittoons.

HALLS—Cocoa Matting, Lamps, Lanterns, Stands, Racks.

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TO SELL BY

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—AT—

H. M. DOCKYARD, ESQUIMALT,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

Monday, Sept. 19th, 1881,

A QUANTITY OF

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CORDAGE, CANVAS, IRON CASKS,

—ALSO—

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3000 lbs. BISCUIT.

A full list of which can be seen at our office.

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—IN—

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

SUBURBAN HOMESTEAD PROPERTY.

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Have received instructions to sell by

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At their salesrooms, Wharf Street,

Saturday, September 24th,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

35 Acres, being Subdivisions of 4 and 12 of

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Forming part of Sections 28 and 61 Victoria District, Cadboro Bay Road.

This Property is situate about 2½ miles from Government street; has been subdivided into six plots of from 3⅔ to 11 3-5 acres.

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Auction Sale.

REAL ESTATE

The undersigned has received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by Public Auction at his salesrooms, Yates street, opposite the American Consulate,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

On the 12th September, 1881

HIGHLAND DISTRICT, VICTORIA.
SECTION 6, Western Portion, No. 118, 203 Acres, 30 Acres cultivated, Board House, Barns, etc.

HIGHLAND DISTRICT, VICTORIA.
SECTION 2, Western Portion, 117, 160 Acres, all fenced, 20 acres cultivated, House, Barns, etc.

LOT 4, Block 13, N. W. City.

HOUSE and LOT on Esquimalt Road, adjoining the Grove Cottage, well fenced and good ground.

3 TOWN LOTS in Victoria City at the top of Yates street.

1 COTTAGE on Chatham street, containing 5 rooms, etc.

More property will be offered in a few days.

W. R. CLARKE,
au31 Auctioneer.

CARD OF THANKS TO THE NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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DOUGLAS & DEIGHTON.
Yale, B. C., Aug. 22d. au24dw

GRAIN SACKS

10,000 SEAMLESS OAT SACKS, LARGE SIZE.
10,000 WHEAT SACKS, NEW AND SECOND hand.
For sale by
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THE UNDERSIGNED RETURNS HIS GRATEful thanks to his friends and neighbors and the citizens of Yale generally for the energetic and disinterested manner in which they assisted in preserving his property from destruction during the progress of the recent fire. But for those exertions his entire establishment would have fallen a prey to the flames in common with much other valuable property.

I. C. SLEY
Cascade House, Yale, Aug. 22d. w

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Dr. Spinney & Co's DISPENSARY,

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DR. SPINNEY will guarantee to forfeit Five Hundred Dollars for every case of any kind or character which he undertakes and fails to cure.

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22	13 10	40	24 70
23	13 50	41	25 60
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28	16 40	46	30 60
29	16 90	47	31 60
30	17 50	48	[illegible]
31	18 10	49	[illegible] 10
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33	19 20	51	[illegible]
34	19 80	[illegible]	[illegible]
35	20 40	[illegible]	[illegible]
36	21 10	[illegible]	[illegible]
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NEW SCHEDULE OF WAGES FOR WHITE LABOR

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Rock Foreman	$3 to $4 ℔ day	
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Bridge Carpenters (1st class)	$2 50	"
do do (2d class)	$2	"
Masons	$2 50 to $3	"
Blacksmiths (1st class)	$3	"
do (2d class)	$2 50	"
do (helpers)	$1 50 to $2	"
Drillers	$1 75 to $2	"
Laborers	$1 50 to $1 75	"
Hewers	$2 50 to $3	"
Choppers	$1 50 to $2	"

All outside labor 10 hours per day.

All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.

All employés find themselves bed, board and lodging.

Boarding Houses will be convenient along the line.

Board $4 per week.

It will not be compulsory for employés to board in the Company's houses

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A. ONDERDONK,
mh13 General Manager.

CITY OF VICTORIA WATERWORKS.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT NO PERson shall be allowed to use water from the City Water Works for garden purposes, or fountains, or street sprinkling, west of Cook street, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. each day.

Any person found guilty of an infraction of this notice after Sunday the 17th inst., will be prosecuted under the "Water Works Act, 1873," for wilful waste of water.

THOS. RUSSELL,
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Victoria, B.C., 14th July, 1881. jy15

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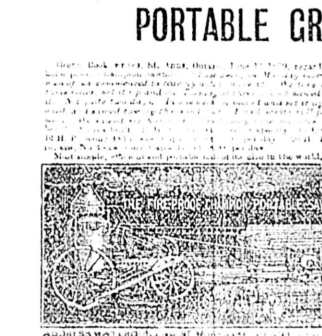

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F. REVELY,
Agent Marine and Fisheries.
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 16, 1881. au17e3d2t

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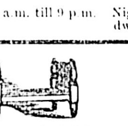

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FOR DUTY,
FOR WAREHOUSE,
FOR DUTY EX WAREHOUSE,
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LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 53,734 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 91,071
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	24,745 00	Gold Bullion	6,008 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	120,155 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	3,165 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	226,171 00	Landed and other Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	185,121 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	146,657 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$424,805 00	Total Amount of Assets	$447,022

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.....$5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders.....5 per cent per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year.....$125,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend.....$756,000

VICTORIA, B. C., 9th July, 1881.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 9th day of July, 1881.
jy10 (Signed) J. H. TURNER, J. P.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in circulation	$371,062 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$184,409
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,035 06	Gold Bullion	9,306
Deposits not bearing Interest ..$763,762 01		Landed and other Property	26,111
Deposits bearing Interest ..29,714 82	793,476 83	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province ....$ 4,088 74	
		Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province 525,260 22	529,348 96
		All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches 685,022 20	
		Do. without the Province 26,877 04	711,899 24
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,172,573 89	Total Amount of Assets	$1,461,075 80

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.....$1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders.....5 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared.....$43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend.....$226,560

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 21st July, 1881

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 21st day of July, 1881.,
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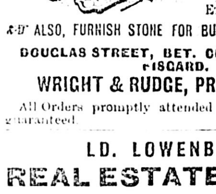

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